



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Muneer Zuhdi
Serial No.: 09/723,804
Filed: November 28, 2000
Group No.: 2634
Examiner: Sudhanshu C. Pathak
Notice of Allowance Mailed: April 5, 2005
Confirmation No.: 6403
Title: BIDIRECTIONAL OPTICAL COMMUNICATION HAVING
QUICK DATA RECOVERY WITHOUT FIRST
ESTABLISHING TIMING A PHASE LOCK

Mail Stop Issue Fee
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.104, Applicant respectfully issue a statement commenting on the Examiner's reasons for allowance.